BOARD OF WATER AND NATURAL RESOURCES NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING TO AMEND RULES

A public hearing will be held on September 27, 2013, at 1:00 p.m. CDT to consider amendments to administrative rule 74:05:05:18. The hearing will be conducted via the Digital Dakota Network at the following locations:

State Capitol Building, 500 E. Capitol Avenue, RM B12, Studio A, Pierre, SD SD School of Mines & Technology, 501 E. St. Joseph, Classroom Building, RM 109, Rapid City, SD University Center, 4801 N. Career Avenue, RM FADM 145, Sioux Falls, SD SD Department of Labor, 2001 9th Avenue SW Suite 200, Watertown, SD Northern State University, 1200 S. Jay Street, Beulah Williams Library, RM 117, Aberdeen, SD SD State University, 101 Pugsley Center, RM 205, Brookings, SD Mitchell Technical Institute, 1800 East Spruce Street, Tech Center Building, RM 155, Mitchell SD Black Hills State University, 1200 University Street, E.Y. Berry Library, RM LIB011. Spearfish, SD

The effect of the rule 74:05:05:18 will be to make adjustments to the director areas of the South Central Water Development District.

The reason for amending the rule is to correct the omission of Bryan, Choteau Creek, and Kennedy townships in Charles Mix County in director area 5.

Persons interested in commenting on the proposed amendments may do so by appearing in person or by presenting written comments at the hearing. Written comments may be mailed to the Board of Water and Natural Resources, Department of Environment and Natural Resources, 523 East Capitol, Pierre, SD 57501. Written comments mailed to the Board must be received by close of business on September 26, 2013.

After the hearing, the board will consider all written and oral comments received on the proposed rules. The board may modify or amend a proposed rule at that time to include or exclude matters that are described in this notice.

Notice is given to persons with disabilities that this hearing is being held in a physically accessible place and that interpreter services will be provided, if necessary, during this hearing. Please notify the Department of Environment and Natural Resources at the above address or by calling (605) 773-4216 at least 48 hours prior to the public hearing if you have special needs for which special arrangements must be made.

The proposed rules may be accessed on the DENR web page at: http://denr.sd.gov/public/default.aspx or copies may be obtained without charge from the following address:

South Dakota Department of Environment and Natural Resources Division of Financial and Technical Assistance Foss Building 523 East Capitol Pierre, SD 57501-3181

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